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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

JUL 13 2023

FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

MITCHELL R. ELFERS
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.
Pragnesh Kumar, aka "Pete"
Patel,

CRIM. NO.

19-1631 DHU

Defendant.

**CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE
JUDGE IN A FELONY CASE**

The United States Magistrate Judge has explained to me the nature of the offense(s) with which I am charged and the maximum possible penalties which might be imposed if I plead guilty. I have been informed of my right to the assistance of legal counsel and of my right to plead or go to trial, judgment and sentencing before a United States District Judge.

I HEREBY: Waive (give up) my right to enter my plea before a United States District Judge and I consent to entering my plea, knowingly and voluntarily, before a United States Magistrate Judge, who thereafter will accept my guilty plea and adjudge me guilty.

P. R. Patel
Defendant
[Signature]
Attorney for Defendant

Date: 7/13/2023

Before: [Signature]
United States Magistrate Judge